Statement

Amount spent on advertisement by Ministry of Textiles during 1992-93 and 1993-94 through DAVP, language-wise

Sl. No.	Language	Amount spent during	
		1992-93 (in Rs.)	1993-94
1.	English	806503.00	807532.00
2.	Hindi	664712.00	894231.00
3.	Urdu	45192.00	128170.00
4.	Punajbi	20081.00	46066.00
5.	Marathi	29376.00	115886.00
6.	Gujarati	43961.00	217848.00
7.	Assamese	9430.00	25368.00
8.	Bengali	56649.00	119448.00
9.	Griya	14396.00	73764.00
10.	Tamil	16374.00	63190.00
11.	Telugu	16079.00	63263.00
12.	Mala alam	25605.00	69702.00
13.	Kannada	14952.00	47701.00
14.	Mizo	1540.00	3291.00
15.	Nepali	2030.00	—
16.	Sindhi	—	7803.00
	TOTAL:	1766880.00	2683263.00

Supply of Yarn at Reduced Rates

2839. SHRI PRAGADA KOTAIAH:
PROF. I.G. SANADI:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) the performance of the scheme of yarn supply by the Indian Cotton Mills Fedartion at reduced rates of Rs. 3 to Rs. 8 per kg of hank yarn to handlooms;

(b) what are the charges collected by the National Handloom Development Corporation January 1994 invoice rates;

(c) whether it is a fact that the charges collected by the National Handloom Development Corporation are more than the reduction of price offered by the textile mills; and

(d) whether any representation has been made to the development commissioner of handlooms for the waiving of the charges, if so, the action taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI G. VENKAT SWAMY): (a) Under the Indian Cotton Mills' Federation Scheme 20.21 lakh Kgs of cotton hank yarn has been supplied upto July 1994.

(b) National Handloom Development Corporation is charging 2% service charges from the buyer handloom organisations.

(c) National Handloom Development Corporation has supplied the material at

the purchase prices adding or without its services charges and the benefit was more in comparison with the ruling market prices. The difference in price varies from mills to mills and state to state based on the location of the spinning mills and state to state based on the location of the spinning mills, the buyer handloom organisations and the component of sales tax existant in the state are where the spinning mills are situated.

(d) Yes, Sir, As the National Handloom Development Corporation is a commercial organisation, waiver of service charges cannot be considered.

National Institute of Fashion Technology

2840. SHRI PRAGADA KOTAIAH:
PROF. I.G. SANADI:
SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) when the National Institute of Fashion Technology was established;

(b) the training courses introduced and the number of trainees in each course;

(c) the amount spent per year for running the Institute;

(d) the bio-data of the trainees and the States from which they are selected;

(e) whether it is a fact that the Planning Commission made certain observations and objections in the running of the Institute; if so, the details thereof;

(f) whether the Apparel Export Promotion Council has made any proposal to run the Institute; if so, the reasons for rejection of the proposal; and

(g) the amount of cess or service charges collected by the Apparel Export Promotion Council on Mill-made, Powerloom and Handloom garments etc, during the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI G. VENKAT SWAMY): (a) The National Institute of Fashion Technology was established as a registered Society in 1986 under Societies Act, 1860 and has been functioning since August, 1987.

(b) The traning courses introduced in NIFT and the annual intake number of trainees in each course is as under:—

	Course	Duration	Annual Intake
1.	Fashion Design	3yrs.	30
2.	Accessory Design	3yrs.	30
3.	Apparel Marketing & Merchadising	2yrs	35
4.	Garment Manufacturing Technology	2yrs.	30
5.	Leather Garment Design & Technology	2yrs.	30
6.	Textile Design Development	3yrs.	30
7.	Knitwear Design & Technology	3yrs.	30

(c) The amount spent per year for running the Institute since 1986-87 upto 1993-94 is as under:—

Sl. No.	Year	Grant
1.	1986-87	1,38,86,000
2.	1987-88	3,19,14,000
3.	1988-89	4,00,00,000
4.	1989-90	4,50,00,000
5.	1990-91	1,00,00,000
6.	1991-92	2,23,25,000
7.	1992-93	2,35,00,000
8.	1993-94	5,00,00,000
	TOTAL:	23,66,25,000

(d) The trainees for various courses conducted by National Institute of